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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: :

Yasuo KONDO et al. : GROUP ART UNIT: 1772

SERIAL NO: 09/462,502 : EXAMINER: C. SIMONE

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## AMENDMENT WITH REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)

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In response to the Office Action mailed on August 12, 2002, please amend the aboveidentified patent application, as follows:

## IN THE DRAWING:

Filed herewith are nineteen sheets of drawing having proposed drawing corrections made in red ink to FIGS. 1, 2, 6, 10, 12, 15, 16, 21, 22, 27, 29, 30, 33, 35, 36, 37, 39, 4142, 43, 44, 45, 47, and 51.

## **IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please amend the paragraphs of the specification as shown in clean form below.

A Marked-Up Copy of the amended paragraphs of the specification is attached.

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